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Senate Bill 271

Consolidated Manifesting

New Legislative Program

It is DTSC's mission to restore, protect and enhance the environment, to ensure public health, environmental quality and economic vitality, by regulating hazardous waste, conducting and overseeing cleanups, and developing and promoting pollution prevention.

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Governor Gray Davis recently signed Senate Bill 271 (Chapter 319, Statutes of 2001) creating the "Consolidated Manifesting Procedure" that will take effect on January 1, 2002. SB 271 affects transporters and generators of hazardous wastes by modifying the requirements for the use of milkrun and modified manifests.

This fact sheet summarizes the highlights of SB 271. Two more detailed fact sheets will be available in November 2001, posted on the Department of Toxic Substances Control's (DTSC) web page and mailed to all registered transporters, Certified Unified Program Agencies, and other interested parties. One fact sheet will explain generator eligibility requirements. The second fact sheet will explain consolidated transporter requirements.

Important Features

- Consolidates the milkrun regulations [Title 22, California Code of Regulations (CCR), Section 66263.42] and the modified manifesting law [Health and Safety Code (HSC), Section 25250.8] into a new streamlined process called consolidated manifesting [HSC, Section 25160.2].
- Requires transporters to notify DTSC in order to use a consolidated manifest [HSC, Section 25165(a)]. Milkrun variances are repealed on January 1, 2002 [HSC, Section 25160.2(e)]. Transporters who want to use the consolidated manifesting procedure on or after January 1, 2002, must notify DTSC before using the consolidated manifesting procedure.
- Requires all generators using a consolidated manifest after January 1, 2002, to have an identification number [HSC, Section 25160.2(b)(10)]. Only generators of less than 100 kilograms per month of photographic waste hazardous solely due to silver will be exempt from this requirement. Please call 1-800-618-6942 to obtain an identification number. (Prior to January 1, 2002, some small dry cleaning and automotive parts cleaning solvent and used oil generators are not required to have a number.)
- Expands the number of wastestreams that can be consolidated by the transporter on a single daily manifest [HSC, Section 25160.2(c)].

Important Features continued

- Starting October 31, 2002, requires all consolidated transporters to report quarterly to DTSC detailed information from their receipts. Consolidated transporters that ship less than 1,000 tons per year using consolidated manifests will be allowed to submit the reports in a paper format through October 31, 2003. Transporters that ship more than 1,000 tons per year on consolidated manifests must submit their reports in an electronic format [HSC, Section 25160.2(d)].
- Increases DTSC's enforcement authority for failure to submit information on the annual questionnaire required verifying the accuracy of hazardous waste activity data [HSC, Section 25205.16(c)].

To Obtain a Copy of SB 271

To obtain a copy of the bill via the web, go to www.leginfo.ca.gov/bilinfo.html. Or call the Senate Bill Room at 1-916-445-2323.

To Obtain a Copy of the Detailed SB 271 Fact Sheets

Copies will be made available in November 2001 and mailed to registered transporters and Certified Unified Program Agencies. If you are not one of the above, please call 1-916-255-4367 to request a copy or check the DTSC web page at www.dtsc.ca.gov after November 1, 2001.